

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/733,070 Confirmation No. : 8470
First Named Inventor : Sherif ELDALLY
Filed : December 11, 2003
TC/A.U. : 3682
Examiner : SMITH, JULIE KNECHT

Docket No. : 100751.52969US
Customer No. : 23911

Title : Transmission System Having a Gear with Engaging and
Non-Engaging Semi-Annular Sections

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
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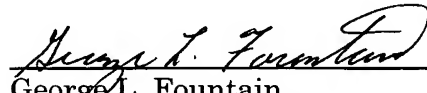
Sir:

Applicant hereby requests that the period to take action in the above-captioned application be extended by one month pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a).

A check in the amount of \$60.00 is submitted herewith in payment of the required extension fee. This amount is believed to be correct, however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No.: 05-1323 (Docket 100751.52969US). **A duplicate copy of this letter is attached.**

Respectfully submitted,

February 7, 2005


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